

Junior Champs Will Compete In Tahoe Ski Meet

Combined Events Planned
For Youths Under
18 Years

TAHOE CITY—All is in readiness for the Divisional Four-Way Junior Combined Championships, to be held Saturday and Sunday at Tahoe City, Granlibakken and Squaw Valley, according to Jack Starratt, tournament director.

The event is being conducted under the auspices of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club, with the sanction of the Far West Ski Association. Some 70 contestants are expected to participate, Starratt says.

The meet is open to all junior FWSA skiers under 18 years of age. All boys will be required to compete in all four events—downhill, slalom, cross country, and jumping. All girls will compete only in downhill and slalom.

The schedule of events, subject to weather conditions, has been outlined as follows:

Saturday, 9 a.m., registration and issuing of numbers; 10 a.m., downhill junior 5 and 4, big rope tow, Squaw Valley; 11 a.m., downhill for junior 1, 2 and 3, main hill, Squaw Valley; 1:30 p.m., slalom for junior 4 and 5, big rope tow, Squaw Valley; 2 p.m., slalom for junior 1, 2 and 3, main hill, Squaw Valley; 3 p.m., dance, Tahoe Inn, Tahoe City.

Sunday, 10 a.m., cross-country, all boys at Tahoe City golf course; 2 p.m., jumping for all boys at Olympic Hill, Granlibakken; 7 p.m., banquet and presentation of awards at Tahoe Inn for contestants, coaches and guardians.

The cross country race will be held at the golf course in Tahoe City and the length of the courses for each class will be determined by the age of the competitor. For example, the course for the junior 4 and 5 will be approximately 300 to 400 yards. The longest course for the older boys will require nine or ten minutes.

"It is not the intention of the race committee to make any of the courses too difficult for the competitors," Starratt emphasized.

A \$2.50 entry charge will cover the FWSA fee and contestants' tickets to the Sunday night banquet. All tows will be free during events.

Serving on the housing committee are Mrs. Blanche Donaldson and Mrs. Beulah Carnell of Tahoe City.

MARTINEZ WILL PLAY HOOPSTERS SATURDAY NIGHT

The Truckee town basketball team is stepping up its home game schedule as the high school teams are winding up their season. All units use the high school gym this year.

Saturday night at 7:30, the Martinez Athletics will be up to renew a rivalry of four-years standing. Next Wednesday, March 4, at 8 p.m. the locals will entertain the Capucci-Weavers from Fallon. On March 6 they will play their traditional rivals, the Colfax Fireballs, this year's tri-city champs, and on the 7th will host the Hawthorne Marines.

WYETHIA TO MEET AT LOCAL CAFE

The first regular Wyethia Women's Club meeting of the year will be held at Sarge's on Friday, March 6, at 7:30 p.m. An interesting evening has been planned by the committee of past presidents. Members can make their reservations by March 4 with Mrs. Frank Gaennie by telephoning Truckee 13.

TWO BABIES ARE BORN THIS WEEK

Two babies were born at the Tahoe Forest Hospital during the past week.

Donna Helene Horman, nine pounds, six and a half ounces, arrived Friday, February 20, at 4:50 a.m. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Horman of Donner Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Grow of Truckee are parents of a son, born at the hospital Tuesday morning, February 24, at 9:02. He weighed five pounds, seven and a half ounces at birth and has been named Gary Alan.

ART SHOW

The Wyethia Club is sponsoring an art show at Capitol Hall today, featuring a group of pictures from Miss Portia Wagonet, noted Oakland artist. Two of these are scenes of Donner Summit.

At Convention—

George Bergen, principal of the Tahoe-Truckee High School, is attending a principals' convention in Los Angeles this week.

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Town Team Wins Benefit Game For March Of Dimes

Local basketball fans contributed \$55 to the March of Dimes Tuesday night while they witnessed an all home talent hoop show in the high school gym.

In a preliminary game, two teams picked from the 7th and 8th grades staged a see-saw contest, with the Reds winning 23 to 19 over the Whites. Ending the first quarter in an 8-8 tie, the Reds finished the half 11-8 in front, the Whites came back to lead 15-14 at the third canto but lost out by four points.

High pointer was Ken Vaughan for the Reds with 13. His team mates were Kenny Osburn, Wes Ball, Kit Schull, Barry Graton, Ken Lavery, Doug Wilson and Stan Baker. On the White side were Eddie Rankin, Mayton Record, Jim Bahey, Jim Harris, Bob Trask, Gene Germain, Charles Aydelotte, Chester Chaney, Elbert Bergmans, Richard Griffith and Chet Petrocchi.

In the main event, the town's adult basketball team beat off the challenge of a stubborn high school varsity to win 72-46. The first stanza ended in an 11-11 tie but the older and more experienced players pulled away and led 32-22, 53-34 and 72-46 at the subsequent quarter marks. Al Wakefield with 31 and Hal Snow with 12 were high scorers for the townies while "Busy Bob" Tonini with 16 and Tom Grow with eight paced the scholars.

Others on the town team were Jack Lambres, Jim Flynn, John Rau, Phil Foster, Bill Curran, Burt Domgaard, Les Davidson. Rounding out the high school squad were Joe Copeland, Charlie Cozzi, John Moore, Sheldon Jones, Hugh Van Hooser, Clyde Mandeville, Les Lazzari and Charlie Smith.

Last Friday night, the town team traveled to Lovelock, Nev., and were sent home with a 56-54 loss when they barely failed to make good on an uphill climb which found them trailing 9-15, 22-28 and 36-41 at the quarters.

EASTER RECESS DATES ANNOUNCED

E. V. O'Rourke, superintendent of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District, reports that the schools of the district are planning to close for Easter vacation from Friday, March 27, to Monday, April 6. If the favorable weather continues, the schools of the district will complete the school year on Friday, May 29, O'Rourke added.

BAY DOCTOR IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Dr. Whitfield Crane of San Francisco is in the Tahoe Forest Hospital with a fractured skull as a result of a fall at the home of his aunt, Mrs. George Walker, on the Truckee River last Saturday. The doctor fell and his head struck the stone fireplace. His condition is not serious.

BUSY WEEKEND AT HOSPITAL

Thirty-seven skiers and eight auto crash victims were treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital during the holiday weekend, John Wardman, administrator, reported. Mrs. Marian Faulkner of Truckee was treated by Dr. George A. Hahn on Monday for a badly sprained and fractured ankle, suffered while skiing.

20-30 SPONSORING TRUCKEE DANCE

The Truckee 20-30 Club is sponsoring a public dance on Saturday night, February 28, at Capitol Hall. Ken Hedlund, dance chairman, declares, "We will have the same orchestra we had at the last dance, with another piece added."

Proceeds from the cotillion will go into the club's community activities fund.

The club met Wednesday night at Brown's Cafe with John Wardman, administrator at Tahoe Forest Hospital, as guest speaker. Bill Frey is president of the organization.

Truckee Drops From Baseball Circuit For Year

Mountaineers Ask For One
Year's Recess In
P-N League

The directors of the Placer-Nevada Baseball League met in the Hotel Auburn last Sunday afternoon and organized for the coming season with the following eight clubs comprising the circuit: Auburn, Colfax, Grass Valley, Lincoln, Nevada City, Placerville, Placer JACL and Roseville.

At the request of Truckee club, the Mountaineers were given a year's leave of absence while the Grass Valley Braves were reinstated to active membership.

All officers were re-elected with Charles Gallagher of Folsom heading the circuit for the eighth consecutive season. William Valdon of Grass Valley was again elected as vice president, with Allen G. Thurman of Colfax being re-elected secretary. He has served continuously in that capacity since the league was formed in 1923. Herbert Clegg of Auburn was named treasurer.

TRAFFIC HEAVY THROUGH HERE DURING MONTH

Traffic through Truckee into northern California via Highway 40 showed a slight gain during January as compared to December, the monthly report from the state department of agriculture revealed.

While the gain was only 465 cars, it was nevertheless an increase, something which few other routes recorded.

During January, the Truckee quarantine station reported inspecting 13,737 cars, 2,896 trucks and 593 buses, with a total of 52,168 passengers. This was compared to 13,272 cars for the preceding month. Of the total 5,486 were "foreign" cars.

At the same time, Meyers on Highway 50 showed 2,136 cars, 167 commercial vehicles but no buses and a total passenger count of 5,450. Only 901 "foreign" cars were in the total.

In January last year 4,509 cars were checked through the local station while 125 were reported on Highway 40. This was due, of course, to the fact that both transcontinental routes were plugged most of the month by snow.

Truckee maintained its position in sixth place among the state's 16 stations last month, with Parker in southern California outnumbering the local station by only 19 cars, while Fort Yuma led the list with 37,324 cars.

BASKETBALL TEAM ESCAPES AS CARS WRECK SATURDAY

A major portion of Truckee's town basketball team narrowly escaped serious injury early Saturday morning while en route home from a game in Lovelock.

A car driven by Phillip A. Thormahlen, 22, Oakland, attempted to pass another car on a blind curve between Lawton and Reno. The Truckee-bound car, driven by Lester Davidson, was coming around the curve. Thormahlen's car skidded into Davidson's path but no one was believed injured. In the car with Davidson were John Rau, Al Wakefield, Philip Foster and Jack Lambres.

The Oakland man was fined \$100 by Justice Laurence Layman of Reno, who recommended that California authorities suspend his driver's license for six months.

NELSONS BUYING HOME IN SOUTH

Mrs. L. D. Nelson, who returned this week following a visit with her husband, Lieut. Nelson, currently stationed at the San Diego Naval Hospital, reports there is a strong likelihood that the former local doctor will be stationed in the southern port during his enlistment of 27 months. They plan to purchase a home near the base. Mrs. Nelson was a visitor in San Francisco this week.

Sun Beams

by WALTER M. BARRETT

At the present time a committee from the chamber of commerce is investigating the pros and cons of incorporation of Truckee. The chamber is anxious to determine the various benefits and any possible disadvantages associated with incorporation, and the committee is busy conducting inquiries, seeking information and seriously considering bringing the matter before the voters. The desire for self government is apparently the paramount issue. Most of the attention is being centered currently on the economic side of the question. From casual observation, the outstanding evidence in favor of incorporation is the fact that no where in this country has any city developed beyond a certain point without being organized and self-governed. There may be disadvantages but in our opinion the advantages so far outnumber them that there can be little question. We believe the chamber is on the right track and will come up with a favorable decision.

Truckee is gaining some very favorable publicity in widely separated areas through the activities of Lloyd Van Sickle and his dog teams. Van has just completed winning a championship race at West Yellowstone, Montana, and shortly before that his team finished first in a more grueling race in Alaska. Only recently, Van, his lead dog, Rex, and Ed Crandall of Hill Top Lodge, appeared on a television program at San Francisco. All these events are important items in publicizing this area and we hand our bouquet this week to Van and his dogs for their unsponsored activities.

S. P. SPECIAL WILL ENJOY WEEKEND IN LOCAL SNOW

Truckee has been host the past few weekends to bay area skiers and winter sports enthusiasts, and this coming weekend will be no exception with the arrival at 7:45 a.m. Saturday of the Southern Pacific Club on its annual Snow Ball Special.

The group will stay in this vicinity, with side trips to Squaw Valley and Reno, until Sunday night at 10:15.

Saturday evening the group will enjoy a dance at Hill Top Lodge with a Reno orchestra.

GENTS' NIGHT AT WYETHIA MEET TO BE SATURDAY

The dining room at Donner Lake Lodge will be turned into a Waikiki beach club, complete with palm ponds and flowers, for the Wyethia Women's Club's "gents' night" Saturday.

Moonlight dancing and a floor show will follow the 8:30 p.m. dinner. Hawaiian girl dancers, magic acts and songs will highlight the evening. To round out the motif, there will be leis and flowers for all attending.

CASH REGISTER STOLEN AT LAKE

TAHOE CITY—Bill Becholdt, manager of Tahoe Inn, closed up after a long day that ended with a ski club dance, breaking up at three o'clock Sunday morning, when the crowd had gone, Bill emptied the cash register of all but \$6 in small change, locked the register and went home for a few hours rest. Returning at 7 a.m., he discovered the cash register, valued at \$1200, was gone. A thief or thieves had pulled off the electric cord to take it.

Carl Lofgreen, a clerk, sleeping in a room near the office, said he had heard no one enter the office during the remainder of the morning hours.

Constable Harry Johanson investigated the theft and searched the river bank along the Tahoe-Truckee highway, thinking he might find the register broken open, but found nothing.

Tahoe Caretaker Feared Lost In Blizzard Is Safe

Rescuers Battle Snow In
Search; "Victim"
Sleeping

Negotiating a perilous mountain trail, covered in places by snow drifts ranging up to 25 feet in depth and overgrown with trees and brush, a Sno-Cat operated by Frank Giovannoni and Frank Gaennie, Sierra Pacific Company officials from Truckee, Monday night reached Incline Lake on the Mount Rose road where it was found the elderly caretaker, object of an intensive search, was safe and sound in his mountain cabin.

The search was organized when George Nielson, 70, Lake Tahoe caretaker for Norman Biltz properties at Tahoe and Mt. Rose, was feared lost when he left Incline Beach Sunday morning on a seven-mile trek to the lake cabin. Recovering from an attack of flu, Nielson refused the advice of friends and made the trip by snowshoes.

The search party, which included the two Truckee men and Ted Draney, Deputy Sheriff Bud Young, Deputies Bill Beers and Bryce Leggett, left Incline Beach at 9 p.m. Monday night when no word was received from Nielson, who had planned to return following an inspection of the Mt. Rose property.

They found the object of their search sleeping comfortably in the snug cabin. He explained that the reason he did not return immediately was because a blizzard was blowing and that "a man would be a fool to go out in it."

Gaennie and Giovannoni returned to Truckee at 3 a.m. Tuesday morning.

CHAMBER SEEKS OFFICIAL ACTION ON DOG PROBLEM

Although no official action has been taken, the Truckee Chamber of Commerce is strongly recommending that action be taken to curb two conditions which are held as dangerous nuisances by the members.

The first concerns stray dogs. The second has to do with children riding bicycles on the sidewalks, creating a hazard for pedestrians, particularly smaller children.

The stray dog nuisance is branded by the chamber directors as a menace to traffic, a hazard to persons young and old and with creating a filthy situation. While Constable N. F. Dolley is the unofficial dog catcher, he is without lawful power, he says, to curb the situation and it is possible that an ordinance may be requested to lend authority to the local officers.

In the meantime, dog owners are asked to keep their animals off the street and not permit them to gang up.

JAMES COOPERS ARE HONOREES

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper were complimented at a party given Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Philippi in the home of the latter couple.

Moving pictures of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper's wedding trip were shown, community singing was enjoyed and the newlyweds opened gifts before the serving of refreshments. Others present included Messrs. and Mesdames Hank Gall, Ivan Todd, William Curran, Stan Songer and Mrs. Lucille Davis and Frank Quillie.

Official Visitors—Albert Bequette, Placer County superintendent of schools, of Auburn and Gordon Stafford, Sacramento architect, were local visitors Tuesday.

Slippery Roads Blamed For Car Wrecks In Area

Eight Hospitalized After
Series of Motor
Mishaps

Eight persons were treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital as the result of a series of automobile accidents in this area during the weekend when travel records for this season of the year were shattered.

The highway patrol and quarantine station reported the heaviest traffic since July 4th as skiers and vacationists took advantage of ideal starting weather but wound up in a storm which left three inches of new powder snow on Donner and required the use of tire chains. Citations were frequent as patrolmen rushed from one emergency to another for three days.

Accidents and chain controls resulted in the highway being blocked several times in several places from the state line to Kingvale.

Summit Crash
The most serious accident was believed to have been a head-on collision between cars driven by J. F. Gould, 71, Roseville, and R. A. Armstrong, 45, Sacramento, near Norden Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Gould, State Patrolman Roy Stallard said, apparently lost control on the slippery pavement and his car crashed into the Armstrong machine.

Gould and Armstrong were treated for minor injuries and Quinton Johnson, 47, a passenger in the latter's car, had serious injuries to his head and face and a broken arm. They were treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital.

Five-Car Crash
Five cars were involved in a crash near Boca at 5 o'clock Saturday evening. Patrolmen William Gausche and T. F. Sheehan reported all the vehicles were going east in the heavy traffic. Three were cited for driving too close to the car in front.

Drivers of the first three cars involved were Clifford Denbo, San Leandro; Ervin Grande, Seattle, and Richard Weaver, San Francisco. Mrs. Adelyn Denbo, Denbo, Weaver and Mrs. Nellie Grande were treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital where they were taken by the Truckee Ambulance. Fred Gutchow, Vallejo, stopped his car behind the three first vehicles which had crashed and it was immediately rammed from the rear by one driven by Frank Zamboni of Paramount. No one was injured. Four of the five cars were towed away. Traffic was delayed for some time.

Car Demolished
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schiller of San Francisco were not seriously hurt, Patrolman Gausche reported, when their car was demolished one mile west of the state line Monday morning. The driver apparently lost control and the car overturned on the highway.

Snowplow Crash
Thomas Gow, 52, Chattaroy, Wash., was treated at the hospital here after his arm was lacerated by the blade of a state snowplow, operated by Abe Bertolozzi, a mile east of Truckee Monday afternoon in a freak mishap.

Bertolozzi was returning to Truckee when a car driven by Jerry Booth, 17, Babbitt, Nev., going in the opposite direction, skidded. Bertolozzi pulled his heavy truck to avoid the certain crash and lost control. The plow swerved, struck the Booth machine and then careened into the Gow vehicle, the blade striking Gow's arm. Patrolman Gausche made the investigation.

Traffic Tieup
Cars were backed up for several miles near Floriston early Monday morning by a minor collision. Patrolman Sheehan was called but the snarl had straightened out by the time he arrived and names of the drivers involved were not learned.

SPANISH MENU AT SKI RESORT

The Spanish dishes recently served by the Donner Ski Ranch proved so popular that the manager, Jack Woodard, this week announced that the menu will be featured every Thursday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. Everyone is invited to enjoy the feast and accompanying festivities.

PEDESTRIAN HIT BY CAR AT SODA

Ralph Rowton of Soda Springs was taken to the Tahoe Forest Hospital Saturday after being struck by an automobile driven by Frank Gistelli of Martinez. Rowton suffered what are believed to be minor injuries when he crossed a Donner Summit service station yard while Gistelli was backing out.

Tahoe Topics

by ETHEL J. VERNON

According to Arthur Frodenberg's report on Saturday, only two inches of snow fell during the whole of the past week, and the precipitation was scarcely noticeable. Throughout the week, the water gates at the dam were being closed, little by little, so as to take the river's flow down gradually, and take no chances on leaving large fish stranded in side pools. On Saturday, Frodenberg

said, the last of the 15 gates was closed and the Truckee River at its source became a very slow-moving, shallow stream once more. The lake level is now reported to be at a safety point and Frodenberg does not expect enough precipitation for some time to warrant reopening the gates. Lake level Saturday stood at 6227.49 feet above sea level.

At this point the Sun's correspondent would like to say "thank you" to the writers of several notes of appreciation received from readers of this column during the past month. Also for a few verbal offerings of the same. It is very encouraging to know my efforts are being appreciated and that the column which comes of those efforts pleases and interests by friends and neighbors at home and abroad. So glad that some speak up and say so when they like what I've tried to do, and that only

a very, very few wait and speak up only when they imagine they've been left out and have something to complain about. And so I thank you, folks, and it's a pleasure to try and please you!

The regular meeting of the Tahoe City Rotary Club was canceled for February 17 in favor of the Brockway club's visitors' night the night before, when the Tahoe City couples were guests at a delightful dinner given for them at Cal Vada. The fried chicken dinner was greatly enjoyed by everyone, as was the half-hour motion picture which followed it. The reel was in color, entitled "Hobbies" and showed rare flowers, trained birds, model airplanes and boats.

The Tahoe City Rotary put on the children's motion picture as usual here on Wednesday evening, February 18, showing to an interested full house. The hour-long reel was a striking dog picture entitled "Son of Husky."

A few members and directors of the Lake Tahoe-Sierra Chamber of Commerce met last Thursday evening in the lobby of Tahoe Inn for an informal discussion on fish and the coming fishing season. The possibility this year of a good season on kokanee (land-locked salmon) was discussed, as these fish were planted in the lake for the first time about two years ago. They are expected to be of a nice size by this spring. Further discussion was held regarding some kind of fisherman's contest to be announced before the opening of fishing in the lake May 2. The contest, providing it can be legally held in a trout area, is being considered as an added attraction and encouragement to fishermen to register ahead for the fishing season here. Also, it

was pointed out, a contest offering rewards would help bring to light the numbers and species of fish caught in mid-season here. However, plans for a possible contest are very indefinite and must remain so until the regular meeting of the chamber of commerce, scheduled for March 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Breuner, who are wintering in the bay region, motored to Tahoe Friday to open the Breuner summer home at Pebble Beach for the use of sno, Richard Jr., and a party of nine young friends over the weekend. Among the friends is Donald Ham of Ross, who is up on a snow frolic for the first trip here with his brother, Robert. Bob was married recently and is presently attending business school in Palo Alto. He and his bride have taken an apartment in that city for the time being.

Robert E. Shields of San Mateo and Lake Tahoe motored up from the peninsular city this week to look over his lakeshore summer home. He was accompanied by his son, Robert Jr., who was on a short furlough. Young Shields is with the Army Signal Corps, stationed at San Luis Obispo. Shields Sr. practices law in San Mateo during the winter and at Tahoe in summer.

Mrs. Annie Soll of the Tahoe Pine vicinity is visiting this week, and possibly for two or three weeks, in the Sacramento Valley. She is spending most of the time with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gerken, at their ranch home near Sacramento.

Rusty Frodenberg, son of weather observer Arthur Frodenberg, is at present employed as life

guard at the Sun Valley resort swimming pool in the Idaho snow sports locality. His father says Rusty is getting in a lot of ski practice now, as he goes skiing part of every day in the week except Tuesday, when he is on duty all day.

A house guest at the Alexander Cushing home in Squaw Valley this week is Fulton Cutting, a brother of Mrs. Cushing. Cutting came all the way from Long Island, N. Y., and plans to spend an extended vacation in the snow country.

Mrs. A. Saroni of San Francisco opened her Sunnyside summer home for the weekend and entertained a house party of bay region friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Santos of Lafayette were enjoying a stay at their Tahoe City home this week. Dr. and Mrs. Lee Hand, who are wintering in San Francisco, motored from there last Friday to spend the weekend in their summer home at Timberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burgett, proprietors of a Tahoe City shop, have offered themselves as a "foster family" for Constable Harry Johanson's pet deer Bambi. During the weekend, the Burgetts

HOMWOOD WATER SYSTEM GRANTED SERVICE RATE HIKE

HOMWOOD—The state public utilities commission has granted the Madden Creek Water Company rate increases of 50 per cent, effective on and after April 1 this year. The action came following hearings on the application by Thelma S. Schwimley which pointed to a net operating loss for the past two years, even excluding wages or salary for the owner or office expense.

Present rates have been in effect since 1930 and, had the increase not been granted, an operating loss of about \$285 was anticipated in 1953. The water company serves 98 customers in and around Homewood.

Basically, present rates are \$18 for residential use during a five-month season. The increase will bring this charge to \$27. Resorts,

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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the passengers have always been pleased. Now—along comes a fellow who wants the train to go at his speed. Some people are like that. Some still would begrudge another person's right to a temperate glass of beer even though that person wouldn't dream of flashing a "Stop" sign on their preference for, say, milk, coffee or tea. Respecting the rights of others is the only way we can keep "on the right track."

Joe Marsh

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NORTH TAHOE

by JUDGE HARRY CHARRISON

This is the time of the year we discover that we owe most of our success to Uncle Sam.

The residents of the North Tahoe area are rightly proud of the courteous and efficient service they receive from the operators of our local Brockway telephone office at Kings Beach. These beautiful gals are really on their toes. I hear nothing but praise for their excellent service, so we salute Wilma, Alice Dorothy and Lois—oh! yes, and that thorn amidst these roses, Byron.

At the meeting of the Lake Tahoe Lions Club last Tuesday, the

resignation of Larry Sheridan as secretary-treasurer was read and accepted with deep regrets, as Larry did an outstanding job in that office. Leland Madden was selected to succeed Sheridan. The next meeting will be held at Sierra Lodge, Crystal Bay, and will be ladies and guest night. March 3 at 7 p.m. is the hour. The Lions Club student speakers contest will be the highlight of the evening and the following well known students from our community will take part: Loma Sorensen, Diana Abbott and Bill Walker. Everett O'Rourke, district superintendent, will introduce the speakers. If you would like to come, just phone Lee Madden at Brockway 300R or Larry Rood at 147W for reservation.

Come and give these brilliant young people a boost.

The Walt Baileys spent a few days in San Francisco and brought back some fine specimens of tropical fish to add to the wonderful aquarium Bob Hobbs is fathering. Ask to see these wonderful specimens; you'll be surprised.

George Washington's Birthday was celebrated with great vigor by the young folks who traveled by bus and car from the bay area to the shores of North Tahoe. Between 15 and 20 Greyhound buses really made it look like summer. Hundreds of young people were seen having the time of their lives. At Joby Lewis' Cal-Vada Lodge they were to be seen snowballing, wrestling and taking pictures. In the early mornings they were seen taking brisk walks on the sands and along the highways with the temperature close to zero.

The resorts that were open were taxed to overflowing, several visitors unable to find accommodations and many had to be taken into private homes. Among those open were Sorensen's Motel, Ludlow's

cottages, Braden's cottages, Goldcrest lodge, Silvercrest lodge, Cal-Vada lodge, Parr's Brockway chalet, Burroughs' cottages, Eugene's chalet and maybe some others I didn't see. What we need is more, more, more of your cabins.

Mrs. Emily Peters of Chicago, Ill., sister of Mac Burroughs, is staying with Mac and Thelma for a whole week and by all accounts is enjoying their hospitality. Mrs. Peters also stayed with Mac's daughter in San Francisco, and by the way, Pauline is coming along great after her recent illness.

Dick and Ruth Lavery entertained Sheriff Don Cox of Sacramento and his wife over the past weekend. They sure have a beautiful home overlooking the lake in which to do their vacationing.

Had Vic Olson, manager for the California Automobile Association, up from Auburn for a visit Sunday, taking advantage of the weather and the roads.

Time was when it was only Washington's face on our money; now it's Washington's hands as well. . . . And there was the cute elevator operator, exposed for the hundredth time to the remark "I suppose you have you ups and downs," snapped back, "It's not the ups and downs that bother me—it's the jerks."

Was up at Cal-Neva Lodge last week and got the surprise of my life finding out how much work is being done on the inside of the building. Everything possible is being done to improve the building. The dining room is being re-carpeted and the kitchen will be twice the size. And I also hear the entrance to the Tahoe Biltmore is going to have a face lifting. It surely needed it.

Joby Lewis tells me he has one of the best programs lined up for the coming season. Joby makes a trip to Los Angeles and San Francisco early each year to procure the best. Hope he has the best season yet.

The ladies of our community have planned a great big party for Thursday, February 26, at Sierra Lodge and the hostess will be Alice Sorensen. Great big news of all the winners next week. The theme will be "In Song."

Mrs. A. C. Abbott arrived home this past weekend from a very nice stay with her daughter, Evelyn Griffith in Bakersfield. Ace took her down by road and then she came back by train to Sacramento. She was down there two weeks.

The J. C. Glunts are, by all reports, enjoying themselves in Florida where they are spending the winter with their children. Mrs. Glunt still has this community at heart, even way down there; has our Community Church in mind by sending a substantial gift toward the church building fund. By the way, if any church minded people would like to make a donation to the fund, simply send a check to the writer. No donation too big or too small to handle. Thank you.

MRS. FELTE NAMED P.T.A. PRESIDENT AT KINGS BEACH

KINGS BEACH—The regular Kings Beach PTA meeting was held Thursday, February 19. New officers were elected at that time, including Mrs. Kay Felte, president; Mrs. Lloydine Clayton, vice president; Mrs. Jean Little, recording secretary; Mrs. Edith Hobbs, corresponding secretary; Gil Johnson, treasurer.

The PTA decided to donate a subscription to National Geographic magazine to Mrs. Wing's room and one to Mr. Sams' room. Miss Baker's room will get an appropriate set of books for their level. It was also decided to have a contest to see which room can get the most people to PTA meetings.

Plans have been started for Public Schools Week, to be held April 27 to May 1, sponsored by the Masonic order.

STANFORD RETREAT AT FALLEN LEAF

A Stanford University summer camp will be opened at Fallen Leaf Lake, near Lake Tahoe, next summer, according to Joseph J. Burris of Los Angeles, president of Stanford Alumni Association. The camp will run from June 20 through September 1.

Stanford alumni, students, faculty and staff may make reservations with the association for themselves, their families and their friends, Burris said.

The camp will use existing facilities at Fallen Leaf, including cabins, dining hall and arrangements for swimming, boating and horseback riding.

Harriet Price Craven, a Stanford alumnus, operated the camp for many years.

It was chosen by a committee of the executive board of the alumni association after a survey of possible sites over the past three years. Fallen Leaf has been a Stanford retreat for many years.

MINOR STORMS FAIL TO DEVELOP

TAHOE CITY—Two half-hearted storms at Tahoe during the week ending at 8 a.m. Monday left 2 1/2 inches of snow and .12 of an inch precipitation, according to the observations of Art Frodenberg, official meteorologist here. Otherwise, the clear, crisp, sunny weather remained unbroken.

Daily high and low temperatures were Feb. 16th: 40, 19; 17th: 44, 21; 18th: 27, 12; 19th: 26, 7; 20th: 34, 8; 21st: 33, 15; 22nd: 43, 13; 23rd: low 18. On Monday only one gate at the Truckee River dam was open and the lake level was 6227.49. Snow on the ground measured 34 inches.

TRUCKEE MEN CALLED FOR ARMED FORCES

Sixteen registrants from the Nevada-Sierra draft pool were slated to be inducted into the armed services last week, a startling indication of the step-up program. The group included Philip R. Ladd and Jack Louis Stratton of Truckee and Emil Edwin Dotta Jr. of Sierra Valley.

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The second largest stock exchange in the United States is in San Francisco.

SOUTH LAKE LEGION WILL ENTERTAIN AMPUTEE VETERANS

TAHOE VALLEY—Members of Lake Tahoe American Legion Post 795 will entertain 40 amputees from Oak Knoll and Letterman Hospitals, John S. Lawson, promotional manager, said. A movie personality will serve as host.

Lawson said the war casualties will be entertained June 12 to 14. The project began three years ago, when Rita Hayworth was hostess. This year's plans include a barbecue at Harvey West's "million dollar castle" on Emerald Bay.

Other activities calendared by

the south end Legionnaires include an Easter egg hunt April 5 with Frank Merrill as chairman and the 6th District American Legion convention, to be held April 12.

Lawson said free movies, held once a week during the winter months, will end in March.

Alta Visitor—
Mrs. Lillian Rood of Kings Beach recently visited at the A. C. White home at Alta.

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District School News

DONNER TRAIL SCHOOL

The young group at Donner Trail are making a picture mural of the travels of a letter. They are tracing a letter from their homes to a home in Reno.

The first grade boys are starting a new reading and a new arithmetic book next week.

The upper group of boys and girls are awaiting a film from the United Airlines about the Pacific area. A large map of Hawaii is being completed as is the map of the whole Pacific area. We have

just completed a book giving all the possible uses of the coconut palm.

KINGS BEACH SCHOOL

Our room has been turned into a train station, round house, train manufacturing plant, train school, etc. To aid us in the building project, Carl Brooks and his mother, Mrs. Wanda Brooks, brought in large boxes which were soon converted into various train cars.

Janet Mallory brought in several records to share with her friends Friday morning.

We were happy to welcome Gregory Thompson back to school after a session with the mumps.

2nd and 3rd Grades

Miss Foresta McGouran, county school supervisor, visited our class and observed our social studies period.

Mrs. C. Patnoudé, our district health nurse, talked to us about colds. She stressed that if we kept up our resistance, we would get fewer colds.

The group working on the large floor map of Mexico has it completed. Kenny Bailey, Gary Wing and David Decker were the three boys who worked on the map.

In observance of Washington's Birthday, we listened to a story about Washington's boyhood. Then we drew and colored pictures of our famous first president.

4th, 5th and 6th Grades

Small classes seem to have been the usual happening last week or so. Walter and Valerie Mandeville and Walter Bailey have had the "chicken pox." Karen Little had flu and others were out with colds. We had eight people out Thursday and Friday.

Miss Evalyn Davies, county school supervisor, visited our class to observe social studies. She found other books in the county library for us to read about South America.

Mrs. Patnoudé, our district nurse, talked to our class about polio. She gave us a better understanding about how polio attacks our bodies. There was also the

CAL AGGIES SKIING AT HOMEWOOD

HOMEWOOD—Homewood Resort at Lake Tahoe was a very busy place during the weekend just past with a large number of guests up from all over the state to participate in various skiing activities.

Saturday morning a group arrived from the University of California at Davis campus. There were 21 boys in the party, all members of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, which organization claims Don Huff, owner of Homewood Resort, and Don Jr. among its brotherhood. The boys were served in the Holiday Room, which was reserved for them, and other guests were entertained by the "capella" concert of popular and collegiate songs they sang after dinner. From all reports, a good time was had by all.

COST OF WARS

Wars in which the United States has been engaged from the Revolutionary War of 1776-83 through World War II, have cost American taxpayers an estimated \$412,743,561.855.

good news that the March of Dimes is helping the scientists find ways of preventing this disease.

TAHOE LAKE SCHOOL

Kindergarten and 1st Grade We have been making farm pictures for a picture show. We are all reading in our new books "Fun with Dick and Jane" now.

2nd and 3rd Grades

Mission life is the subject we are now studying in social studies. We will try to make small adobe bricks and construct a model of a typical mission. We will also learn about the work the Indians did on a mission, such as pottery making and weaving.

The third grade children are going to enlarge their reading programs. Besides their new basic reader, "Streets and Roads," the children will do recreational reading and report on these books to the class. Both written and oral reports will be given.

4th, 5th and 6th Grades

The Cub Scouts in our school had a Father and Son dinner at Tahoe Inn on Thursday evening, February 19. This was followed by the showing of a French film on skiing.

We were all very happy when Chris Poulsen got his walking cast last Thursday. Chris broke his leg before Christmas and had been on crutches since then.

Mike Forsberg brought two models to school—one a fleet submarine and the other copy of "The Golden Hind."

In our weekly arithmetic tests the sixth grade again placed first in both the problem solving and arithmetic fundamentals tests. This grade also did the best in the weekly spelling test, although they were closely followed by the fourth grade.

Two high school students visited our school last week and took pictures of us doing our arithmetic and of our social studies bulletin board on the West Indies.

LOCAL TEAM TOPS FIELD IN SCHOOL MEET ON WEEKEND

TAHOE CITY—The Tahoe-Truckee High School easily captured cross-country and jumping honors here Saturday and were awarded the highest team percentage in the second annual Tahoe-Sierra Interscholastic Ski Federation meet.

Leevinig High won the slalom races run Friday at Squaw Valley with a first and a second. Dennis Osborn and John Murphy placed first and second with times of 50.4 and 58.9 seconds respectively.

In the cross-country race on the Tahoe City golf course Saturday forenoon, Tahoe-Truckee took all five places with Lewis Fellows leading in 7.17 minutes over the 400 yard course. Jay Stuart followed in 7.56, Gary Brumbaugh in 8.23 and Donald Stark in 9.15.

In the jumping at Granlibakken, young Fellows made two best jumps in three of 82 and 83 feet for 194.8 points. Stuart out-jumped him with two jumps of 85 feet but was penalized and given 191.6 points. Phil Ebe and Don Stark were next, giving Tahoe-Truckee a clean sweep in jumping.

The team scores for the five schools participating were Tahoe-Truckee, 375.0; Leevinig, 340.4; Bishop, 306.9; Reno, 286.8; Auburn, 266.0. Team scores are for all four events.

Prizes were awarded at the Donaldson Coffee Shop, with a banquet and dancing later at Tahoe Inn.

The weather was perfect for the meet and a recent two-inch fall of snow at night made the snow conditions ideal for all types of skiing.

FUND IS GIVEN TO BUY TROPHIES

The Tahoe-Truckee High School is in receipt of a check for \$71.47 which is to be applied toward the purchase of permanent trophies for the school. This donation was received from the now inactive Teen-Age Club, which formerly operated in Truckee.

The first such trophy which will be paid for from this gift will be a permanent free-throw basketball trophy on which will be engraved the name of the athlete who is outstanding in the free-throw contest which will be an annual affair at the local high school.

CONSERVATION WEEK

California's annual conservation week will be observed this year between March 7 and March 14, it is announced by the California Conservation Council, sponsor of the event.

REWARD

National Cash Register stolen from Tahoe Inn lobby Feb. 22. Notify Carl Sr. or Bill Bechdolt. Phone Tahoe City 2. 2tc

My Place In the Sun

by DOUG BARRETT

Truckee is the home of America's No. 1 dog musher, Lloyd Van Sickle.....and the home of a potential successor in Stanley Rasmussen, who I barely saw the other night after dark gee-hawing his hounds along one of our thoroughfares.....Another coming sports champ is Aaron Thomas, 14 years old Truckee Rifle and Pistol Club marksman.....who has an enviable collection of 14 rifles and two pistols.....and has been perfecting his ability with them since he was six years old.....Youth has been served.....by the Southern Pacific here for the two past weekends running.....on Washington's birthday, an 11-car train of San Fran-

cisco Call-Bulletin carrier boys was up on a snow-ball excursion.....carrying 290 fare-paid passengers.....while the week before a similar excursion from the Oakland Tribune was up.....It's funny how some people will believe anything told to them in a whisper.....Bob Leamon (of the furniture store of the same name) delivering a new dining room suite to Mary Zunino.....Spring must be upon us.....what with Vina Clepper, Bob Cain and Frank Titus steeple-jacking to clean the light fixtures at Loyd's Truckee Drug.....and Rex Thomas leans heavy on the squeegee polishing the windows of his jewelry store.....Gene Ridsen and Johnny Street, local quarantine inspectors, talking over the past and busy weekend.....Gene told of a skiers' special bus which went through the station.....with 41 women and one man passengers.....

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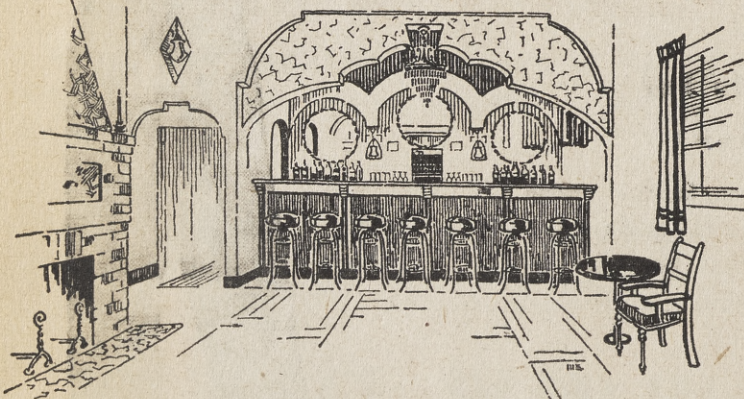
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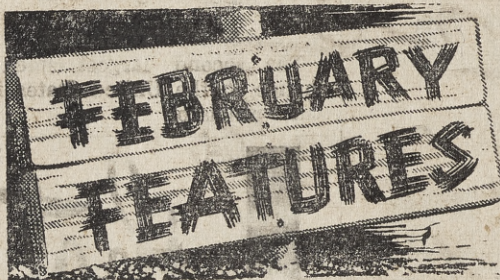


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CEDARS OWNERS BUCK LAW ON PIONEER TRAILS

AUBURN—The Placer County board of supervisors has set March 4 as the date for the next hearing on a proposed ordinance, asserting the county's title to old pathways, trails and roads. A hearing in February brought forth objections from property owners in The Cedars area, south of Soda Springs, represented by the North Fork Association.

It is expected that the March session will satisfactorily sift objections and bring about a mutu-

ally acceptable law covering the subject.

Object to Fence Clause

Most persons appearing in opposition to the proposed ordinance levelled their criticism at Section 2 which would have prevented the construction of fences across the right of way. Proponents of the measure recognize the undue hardship such a stipulation would have on ranchers and cattlemen.

Suggestion that the rules and regulations governing the use of trails as recommended by the California Trails Association be included in the ordinance will be considered by the board. A second proposed amendment to include a pen-

alty clause directed against hikers and horsemen for failure to adhere to rules and regulations embodied in the ordinance will also be considered.

Attorney T. L. Chamberlain of Auburn appeared on behalf of the North Fork Association, which claims a portion of the trail running through their property was actually built by and maintained by them and was not an original public trail or roadway. They insist this is private property.

Survey Disputed

Chamberlain introduced an affidavit from the secretary of the San Francisco, stating in detail the history of the trail (Heath Springs to Cedars) in dispute. Searles stated his account was based on research and personal knowledge. County Surveyor John Shields disputed Searles' version.

Ed Noack, as spokesman for the North Fork Association, informed the supervisors that it would be "cheaper for the county in the long run to build a by-pass" trail to the one in dispute. He informed the board that the association was prepared to take the case to court if necessary. Noack was supported by Guy G. Fowler of Elk Grove, also a member of the association.

Attorney Bob Robinson of Auburn appeared on behalf of the Placer County Sportsmen Inc. He stated he believed there would be no opposition to the incorporation of a provision for fencing the trails, roads or pathways where they traversed private property. Wendell T. Robie insisted "the public has vested rights in these trails."

Question Private Rights

Claus Brunkhorst and Mrs. Louise Melton, both of Applegate, questioned the right of private property owners under the proposed ordinance while Carolyn Boole, also of Applegate, requested that the trails built by the CCC in the early 1930s be incorporated into the ordinance.

The proposed ordinance declares that a number of trails and roads are for the use of the public without any interference or obstruction by any person, firm or association. A total of 62 trails are designated throughout the county. Most are in the eastern part of the county from Lake Tahoe westward, as far down as Auburn.

The old Forest Hill stage road, from Auburn to the American River and up the Forest Hill Divide, is one of the trails listed.

In Donner District

Others include the old Emigrant Trail, which begins at the Donner Monument and crosses Donner Summit into Placer County; and numerous trails in the vicinity of French Meadows, Soda Springs, Cisco, Dutch Flat, Gold Run, Colfax and the canyons of the North

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Maps showing the system and copies of the proposed ordinance are available for inspection in the office of County Clerk Lillian Rechenmacher.

The ordinance would make it a

misdemeanor for anyone to obstruct the trails or otherwise violate the provisions of the ordinance. A punishment of a \$500 fine, a jail term not exceeding six months, or both is provided for violators. The ordinance states violators shall be deemed guilty of a separate offense for each day of which a violation of the ordinance is committed, continued or permitted.

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MATTOS PREPARES FOR ROTARY MEET

Joe Mattos, accompanied by Joe Miller, returned Sunday from an 1100 miles trip, including Elko, Nev., where the former made arrangements for the Rotary Club district convention to be held there the latter part of April. The local people also visited Lovelock, Ely and Lehman's Caves, Mattos re-visiting the latter area for the first time in 26 years. Mrs. Mattos was a weekend visitor in San Francisco and Sacramento.

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VISITORS HERE FROM ALL POINTS

Miss Pat O'Brien, local elementary school teacher, is convinced that this is most certainly one of the most popular cross-roads of nation.

Last Tuesday, Miss Patty Heywood of Denver, Colo., was an overnight houseguest. She is employed at Sun Valley, Idaho, during the ski seasons. On February 13, Jerry Tousley of Denver stopped here for a first visit to Reno and a weekend of skiing at Squaw Valley. He enjoyed himself so that his visit was extended through February 22. This past weekend, former college classmates were Miss Ruth Beach of San Francisco, Miss Sary Galvin of Denver and San Francisco, Bill Henderson of Davis and Harry Loyd of Kansas City.

Sisters Session

There will be a regular meeting of Summit Temple 79, Pythian Sisters, Thursday evening at eight o'clock, according to Secretary Ruth Brazil.

At Colfax

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lloyd and sons were Colfax visitors Sunday.



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SCHOOL BASKET BALLERS LOSE FERNLEY TILTS

The Tahoe-Truckee High School Wolverines journeyed to Fernley last Saturday, where they dropped two basketball games to the Vaqueros. The Bees, playing without the services of two regular starters, lost to Fernley's Bees 34-39. The Wolverine varsity tumbled 44-65.

In the Bee game, it was Fernley all the way with quarter scores of 16-5, 20-13 and 30-21. Quan and Soltan led the losers with eight points each. Marquis and McClain trailed with 7 and 6 respectively.

In the varsity tilt, the Wolverines were not able to hit regularly enough to stay with the fast-moving Vaqueros as they trailed all the way by quarter scores of 12-15, 26-17, 46-33 and the final 65-44.

Bob Tonini was high man for the game with 17 markers. Sheldon Jone did a terrific defensive job as he held Fernley's high scoring Jack Batchelder to four field goals and five free throws for a total of 13 points. Joe Copeland of the Wolverines collected five field goals and three charity tosses for a 13-point total.

The Wolverine varsity travels to Susanville tomorrow to engage in the Susanville tournament to be held over the weekend. They will meet Loyaltan in the first round of the small school division. Other schools playing in this division are Bieber, Aden, Cedarville and Chester.

SCHOOL CASE AT TAHOE CONTINUED

TAHOE CITY— Judge Harry Charrison of the Tahoe Judicial Court Wednesday continued until March 15 the case brought against Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sederberg by D. J. Feno, Placer County school official, involving the Sederbergs' refusal to send their daughter to local schools.

Sederberg said the girl is currently enrolled in a private school in Nevada and this leaves a question to be decided by California officials.

In Capital City

Mr. and Mrs. Daven Morey and children spent the long weekend in Sacramento.

Former Teacher

Miss Virginia Angelo, former local teacher now at Clarksburg, was a Truckee visitor on Saturday.

Smart Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Sardi of San Francisco were weekend visitors at the Reg Smart home here.

Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Giovannoni observed their wedding anniversary on February 20.

In Sacramento

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Daniels and sons were Sacramento visitors last Thursday.

Going to Stockton

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Gall plan to visit relatives in Stockton this weekend.

From Formosa

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Benjamin of Torrance, Calif., were the weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Benjamin. Young Benjamin is a warrant officer in the U. S. Navy and has recently returned after 18 months service in Formosa. He will be stationed at Long Beach.

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WOMEN'S CLUB IS HAVING HAT PARTY

KINGS BEACH— The North Tahoe Women's Club is having the annual hat party at Sierra Lodge, Crystal Bay, Thursday night, February 26. Carrying out the theme of the evening, hats are to be decorated to represent songs.

Awards will be given by on-the-spot judges, Marilyn Baker, publicity chairman, reports.

McGee Family Here

Mrs. Garing McGee and son Tod are here from Live Oak. Alfred McGee, who is with the U. S. Air Force, is also up on leave from Camp Stoneman.

Birthdate

Mrs. John Gracik observed her birthdate February 22.

SUNSHINE GIRLS HOLD MEET HERE

A good representation of the Donner Council, Pythian Sunshine Girls, met at the home of their royal advisor, Mrs. Charles Heller, last Thursday evening. The meeting was called to discuss plans for a drill team in the organization. Some time in May the girls will stage their first exhibition of public marching, supervised by Mrs. Heller, who has had over 20 years experience in drill coaching.

Refreshments were served and a gift presented to Jo-Anne Allen, who was celebrating her birthdate on that day.

The next regular meeting of the council will be Wednesday, March 4, in the Odd Fellows Hall at 7:00 p.m.

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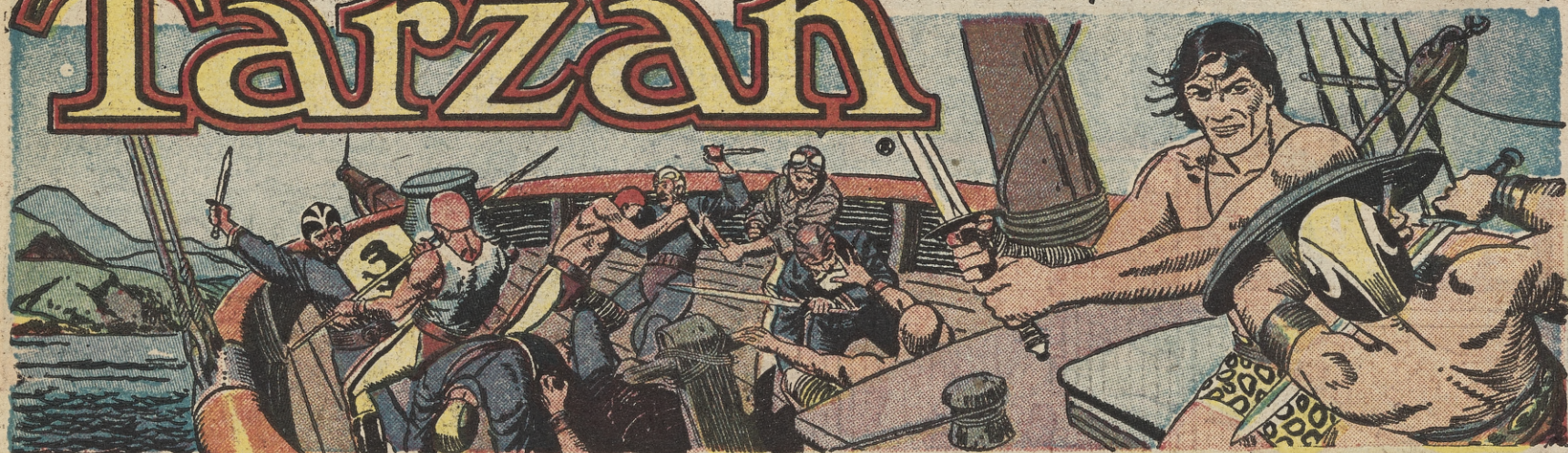
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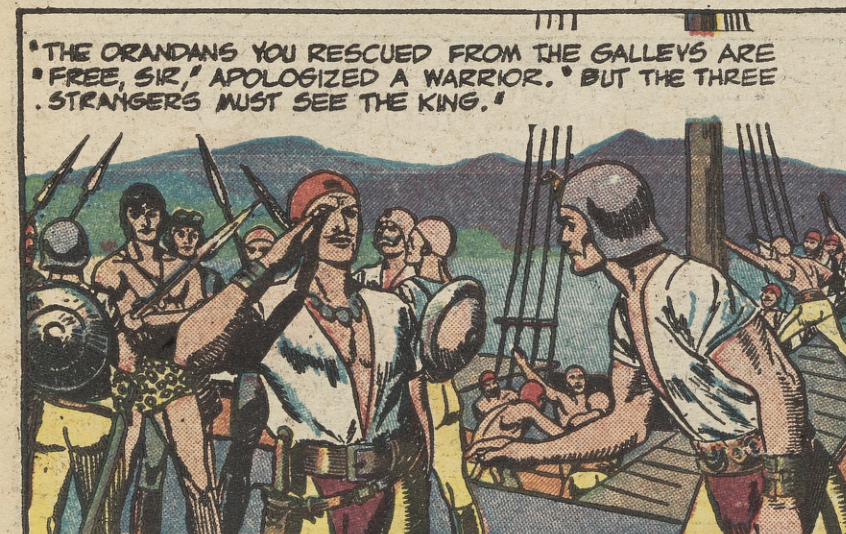
ESCAPING FROM THE HOLD OF THE GALLEY SHIP, TARZAN AND HIS INSPIRED FOLLOWERS FOUGHT VALIANTLY, RECKLESSLY TO GAIN THEIR LIBERTY.



THORAN WAS APPOINTED NAVIGATOR, AND SOON DIRECTED THEM TO THE SHORES OF ORANDO.



BUT WHEN THE SHIP DOCKED AT THE QUAY, SOLDIERS THREATENED THEM FROM ALL SIDES!



"THE ORANDANS YOU RESCUED FROM THE GALLEYS ARE FREE, SIR," APOLOGIZED A WARRIOR. "BUT THE THREE STRANGERS MUST SEE THE KING."



SOON THEY MET THE SCOWLING COUNTENANCE OF KING ORAN. "FATHER, THESE MEN ARE MY FRIENDS," PLEADED THORAN-- AND TOLD OF THEIR PAST ADVENTURES.



"VERY WELL," SNEERED ORAN. "UNDER SUCH EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES I WILL GIVE THEM A CHANCE TO FIGHT FOR THEIR LIVES-- IN THE ARENA!"

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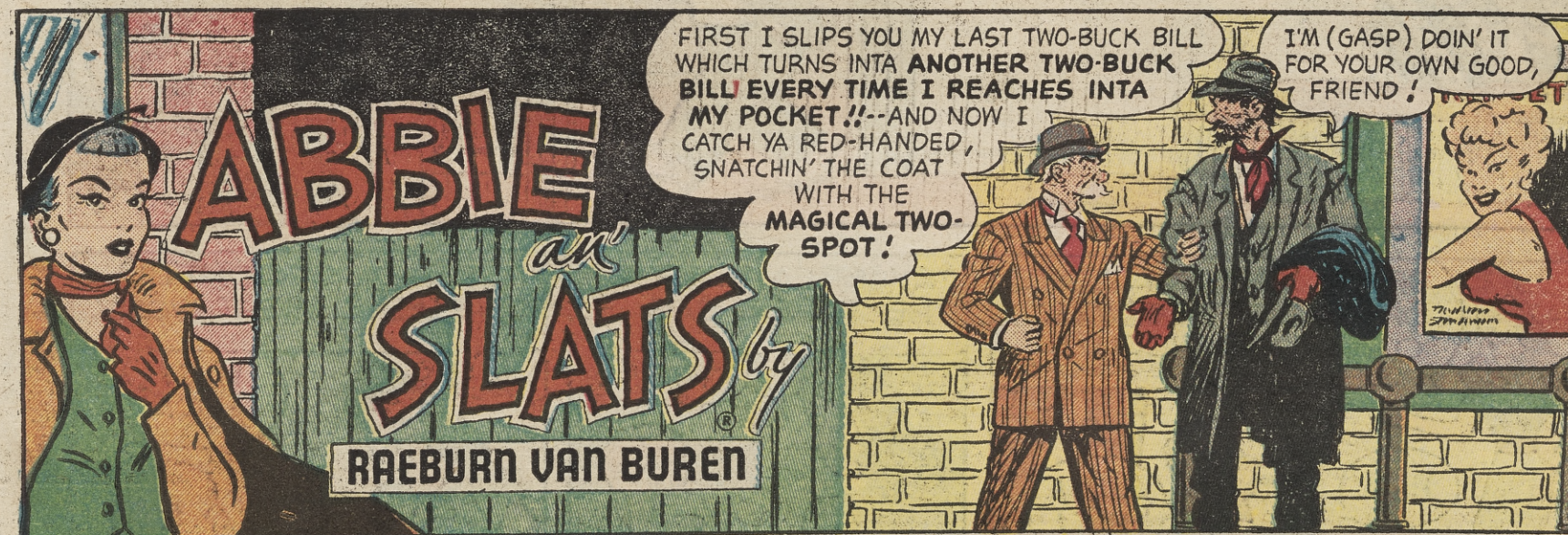
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I'M (GASP) DOIN' IT FOR YOUR OWN GOOD, FRIEND!

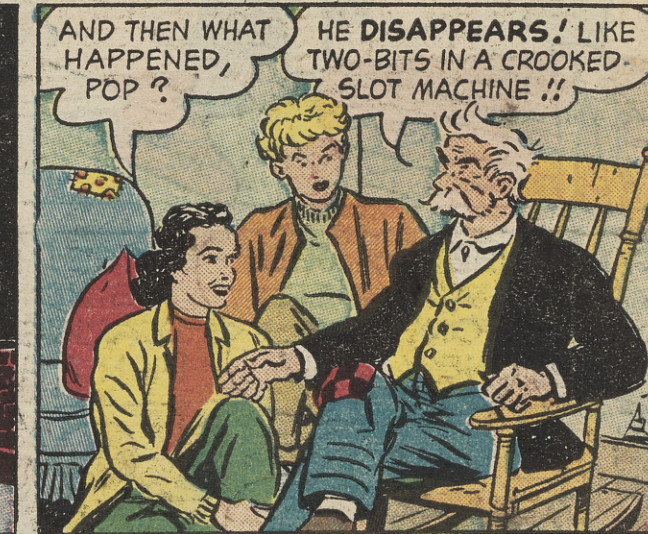
RAEBURN VAN BUREN



AT FIRST I REWARDED YOUR GENEROSITY WHEN YOU GAVE ME YOUR LAST TWO DOLLARS--BY GIVING YOU RICHES--BUT NOW YOU SEE THAT MONEY CAN'T BUY HAPPINESS!



MAYBE, BUT I'M WILLIN' T'GIVE IT A WHIRL!



AND THEN WHAT HAPPENED, POP?

HE DISAPPEARS! LIKE TWO-BITS IN A CROOKED SLOT MACHINE!!

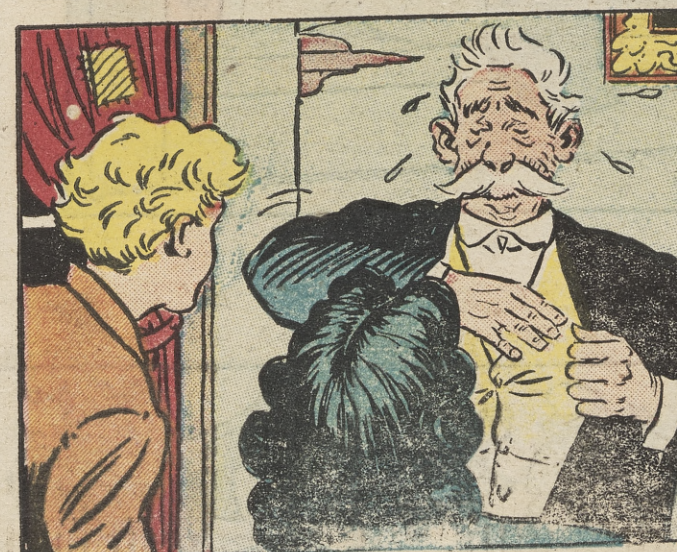


AND WHEN I PUTS ON ME OLD CLOTHES--AND STICKS A HAND INTO THE POCKET--I (GASP!!)

WHAT IS IT, POP?



I'DA SWORN THAT (GASP) I DIDN'T HAVE A TWO-SPOT IN THIS POCKET-- BUT--

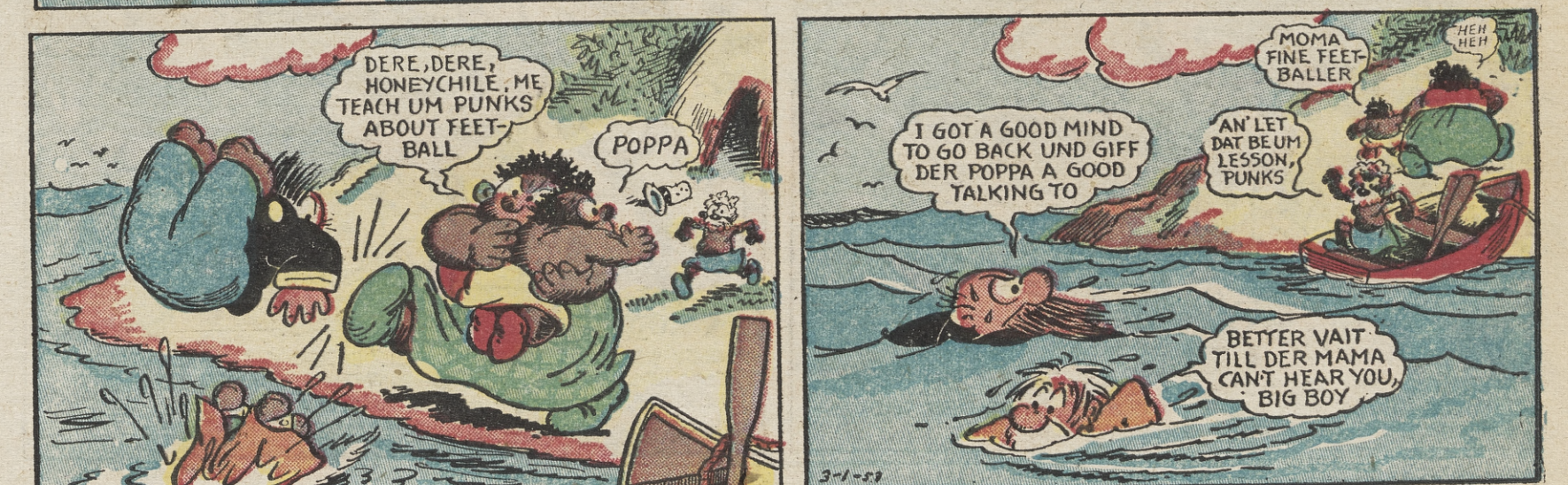
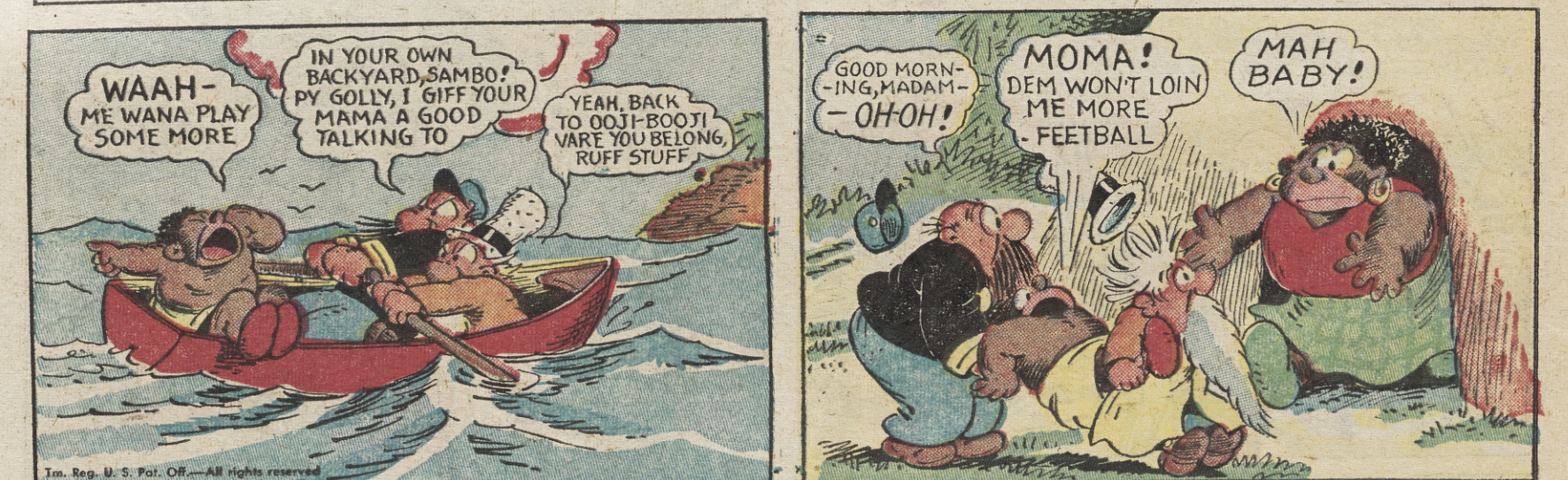
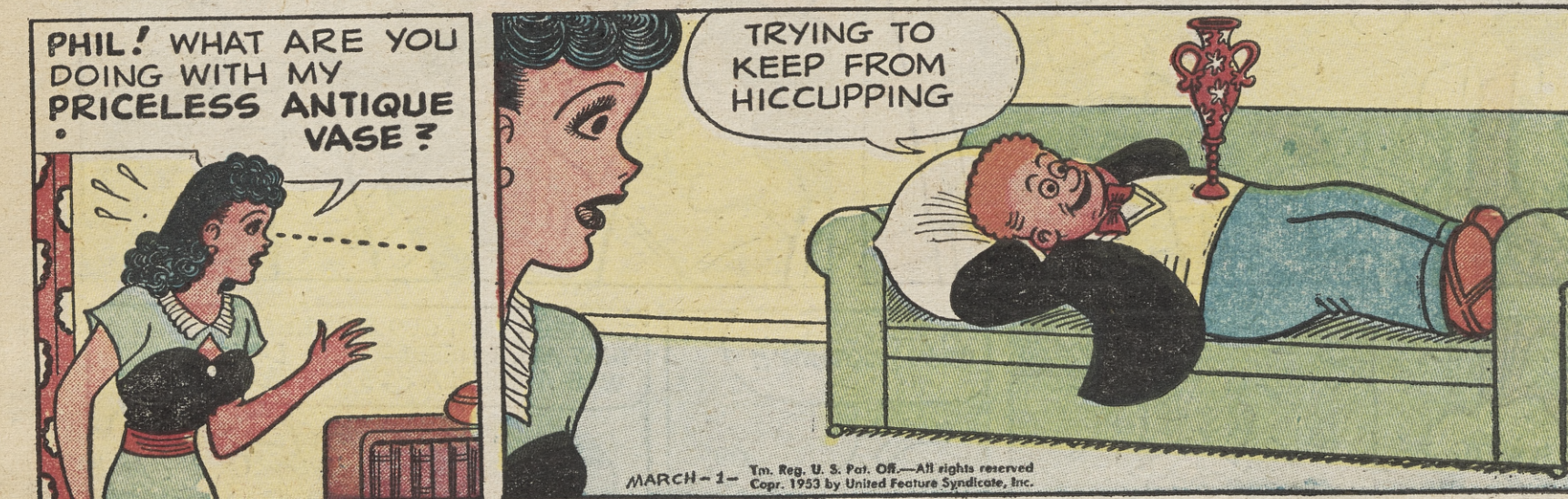
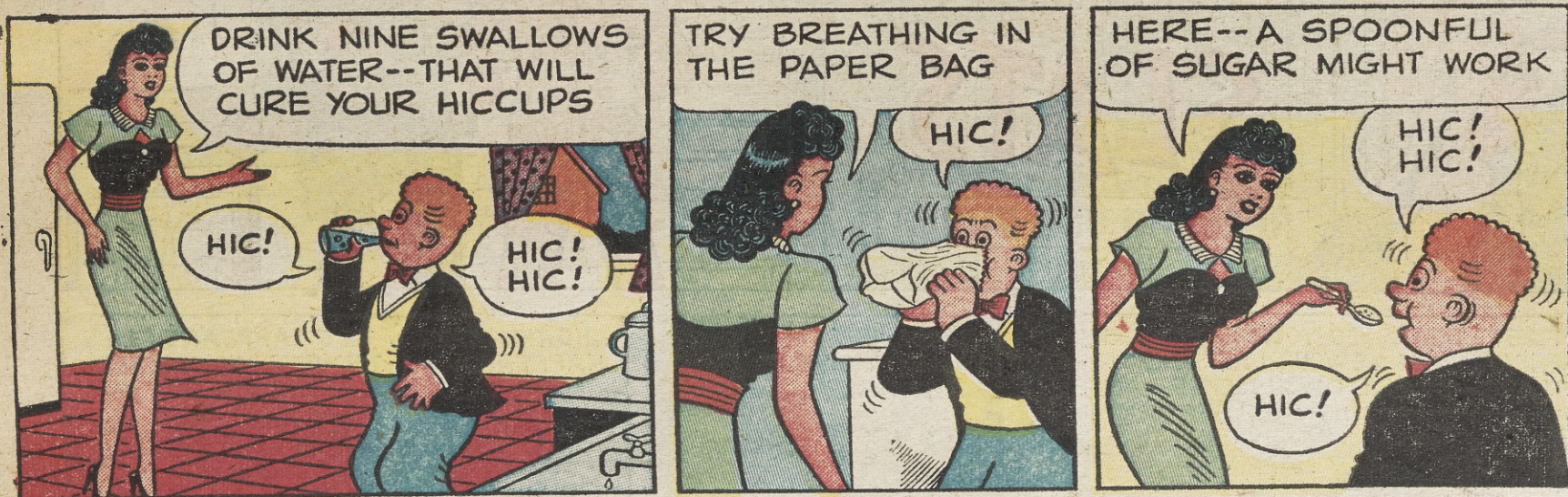
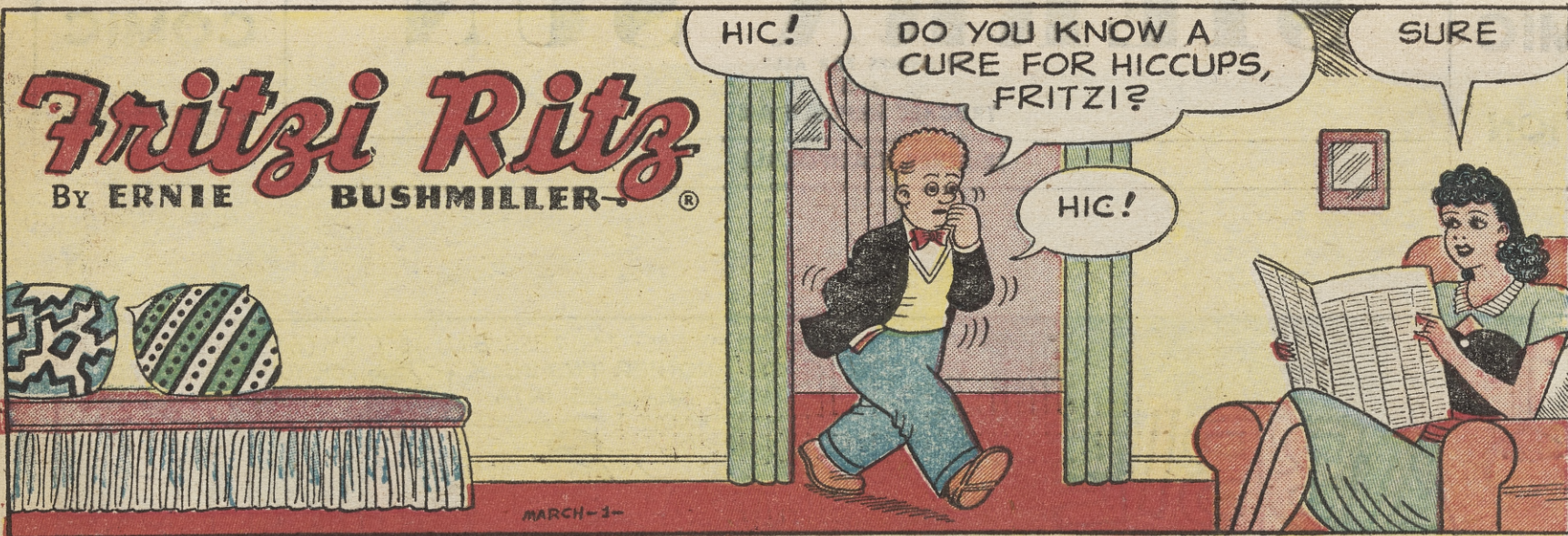


A FISTFUL O' (SIGH) NOTHIN'!!



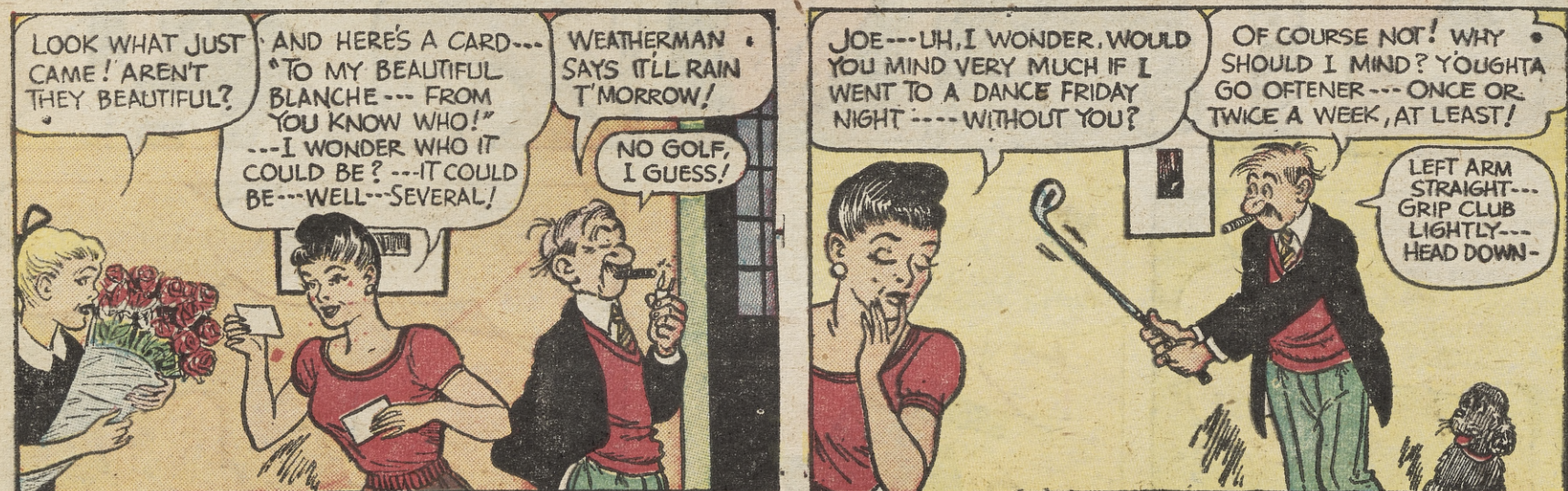
I GUESS THAT OLD BUM KNEW THAT ALL I NEEDED OUTA LIFE WAS A COUPLA KIDS LIKE YOU!!

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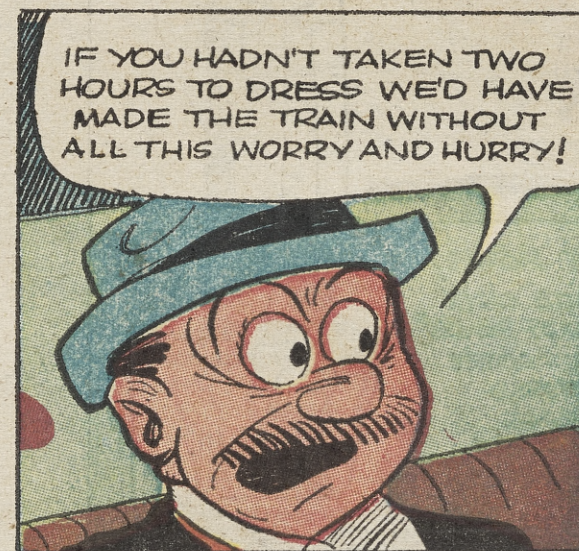
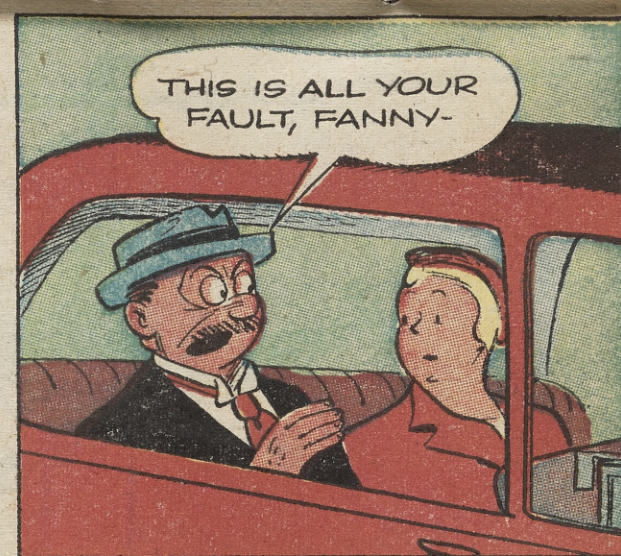
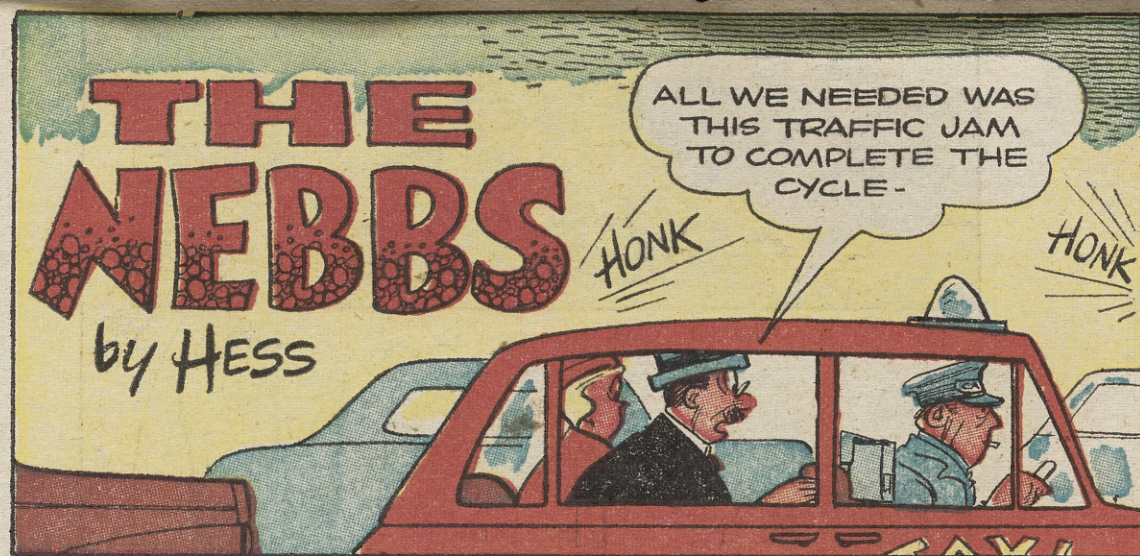


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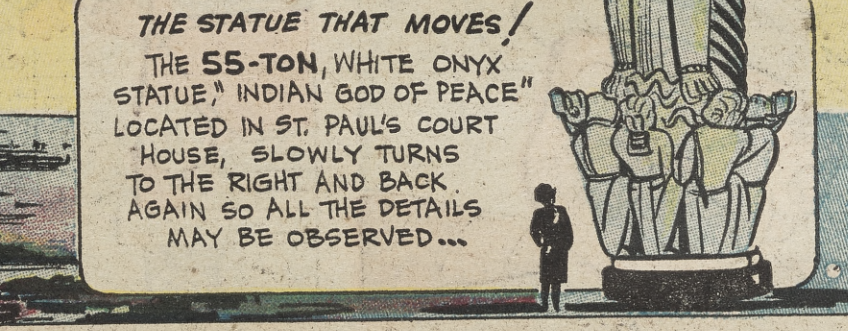
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French trapeze artist,
PERFORMS HER MANY
STUNTS FROM BENEATH
A HELICOPTER,
HIGH ABOVE PARIS!




A TOY-POMERANIAN --
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WALKS ONLY ON
HIS 2 FRONT LEGS
AT ALL TIMES--
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ATTENTION
HE GETS!



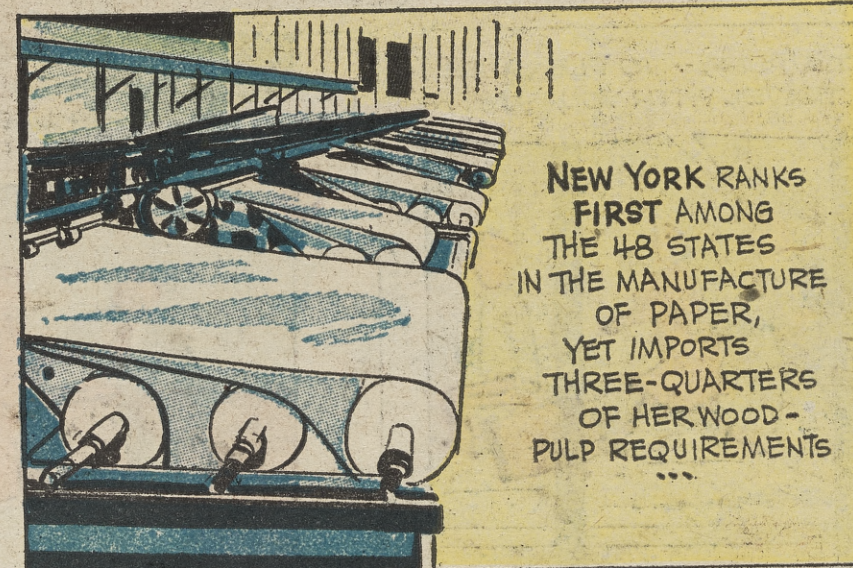
THE STATUE THAT MOVES!
THE 55-TON, WHITE ONYX
STATUE, "INDIAN GOD OF PEACE"
LOCATED IN ST. PAUL'S COURT
HOUSE, SLOWLY TURNS
TO THE RIGHT AND BACK
AGAIN SO ALL THE DETAILS
MAY BE OBSERVED...



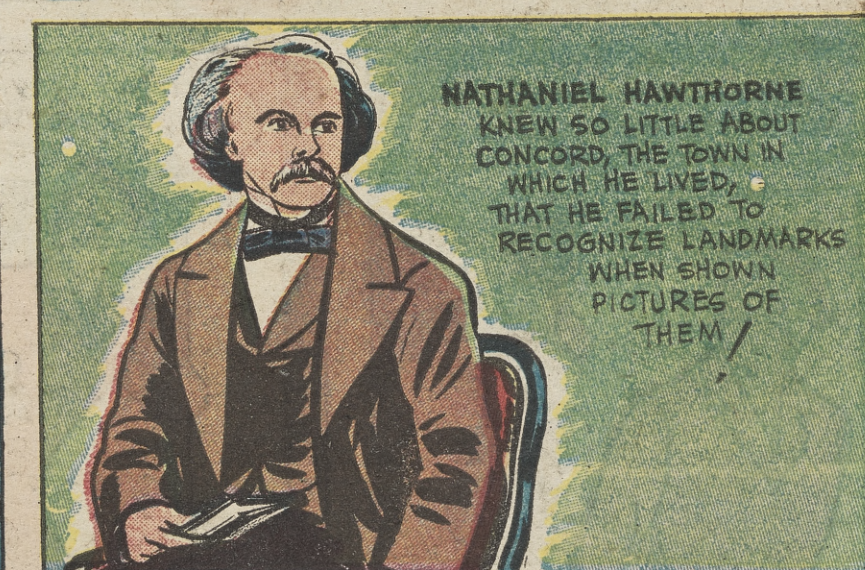
THE GREAT BUDDHA,
in Kamakura, Japan,
HAS WITHSTOOD
EARTHQUAKES
SINCE 1252 ...
MANY TEMPLES
HOUSING IT HAVE
BEEN DESTROYED
YET NOT ONCE
HAS THE STATUE
BEEN DAMAGED!



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OF THE BIBLE IN
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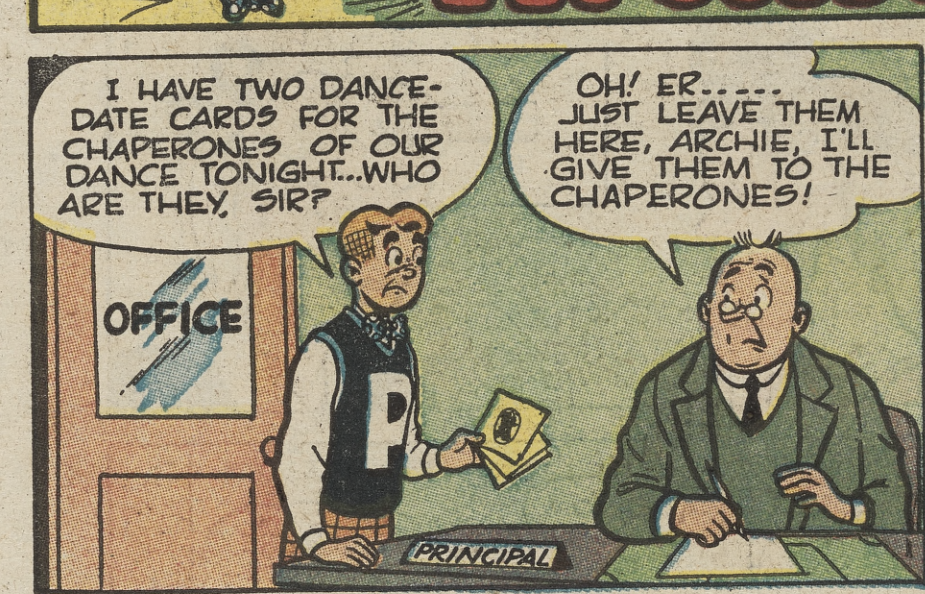
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THE 48 STATES
IN THE MANUFACTURE
OF PAPER,
YET IMPORTS
THREE-QUARTERS
OF HER WOOD-
PULP REQUIREMENTS**



NATHANIEL HAWTHORNE
KNEW SO LITTLE ABOUT
CONCORD, THE TOWN IN
WHICH HE LIVED,
THAT HE FAILED TO
RECOGNIZE LANDMARKS
WHEN SHOWN
PICTURES OF
THEM!

Archie

by **BOB MONTANA**

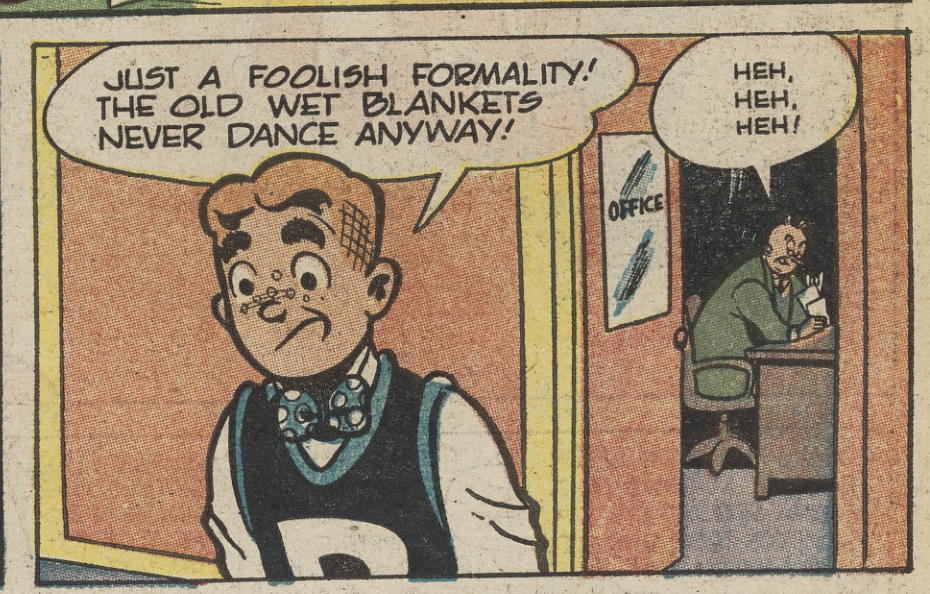



I HAVE TWO DANCE-
DATE CARDS FOR THE
CHAPERONES OF OUR
DANCE TONIGHT...WHO
ARE THEY, SIR?

OH! ER....
JUST LEAVE THEM
HERE, ARCHIE, I'LL
GIVE THEM TO THE
CHAPERONES!


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PRINCIPAL

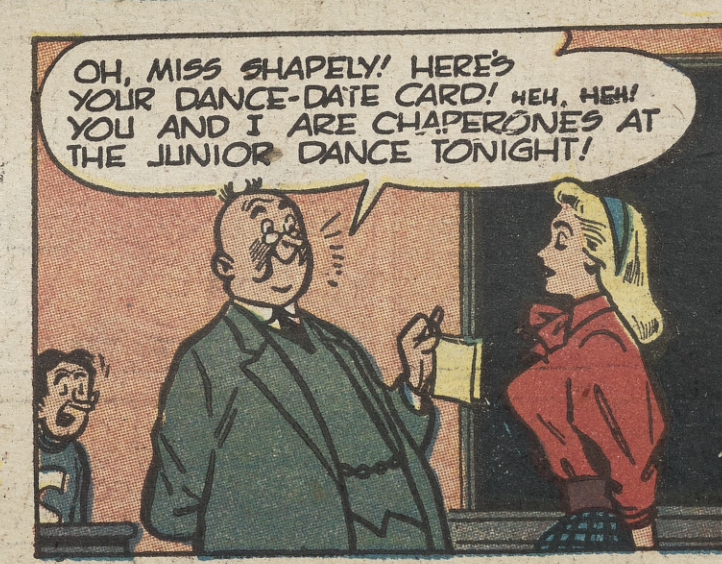


JUST A FOOLISH FORMALITY!
THE OLD WET BLANKETS
NEVER DANCE ANYWAY!


HEH,
HEH,
HEH!



NOW I'LL JUST
WRITE MY NAME
DOWN IN THIS
ONE FOR
EVERY DANCE!




OH, MISS SHAPELY! HERE'S
YOUR DANCE-DATE CARD! HEH, HEH!
YOU AND I ARE CHAPERONES AT
THE JUNIOR DANCE TONIGHT!




MISS SHAPELY
IS GONNA BE
CHAPERONE!
I SAW HIM HAND
HER THE CARD!

WOW!
THAT SLY
OLD DOG!

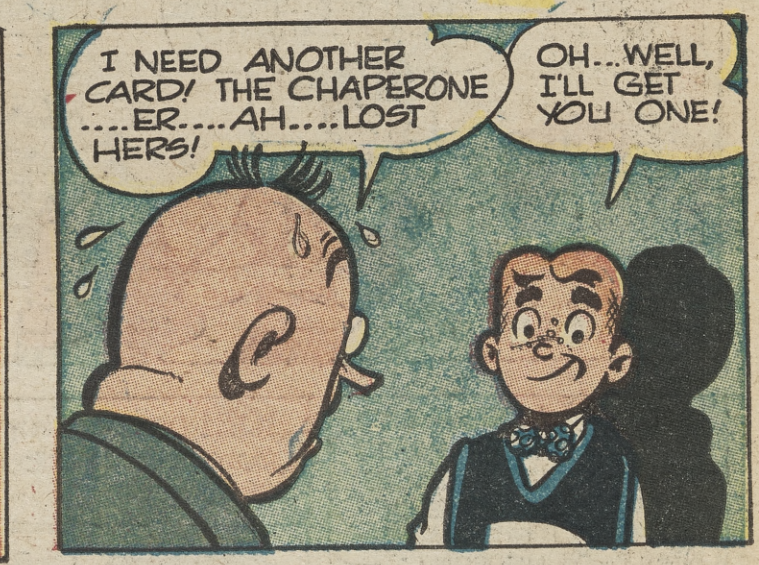


I CAN'T CHAPERONE
TONIGHT SO I GOT
MISS GRUNDY TO
TAKE MY PLACE AND
I GAVE HER MY DANCE-
DATE CARD!

EEP!

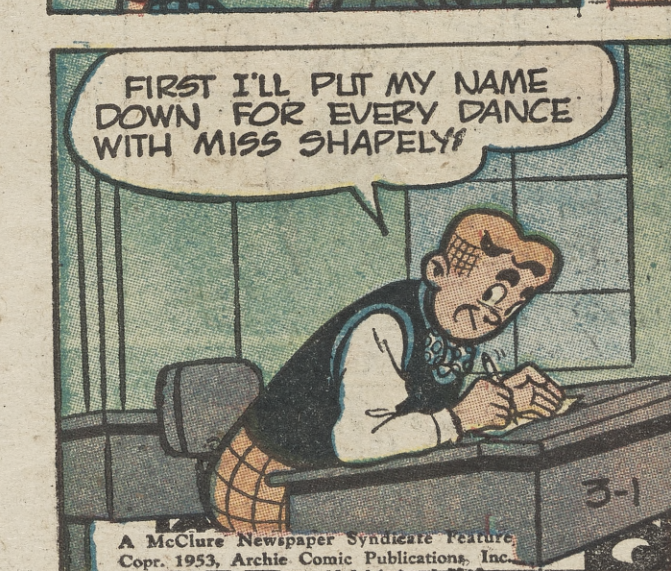


MY NAME WAS ON
THAT CARD FOR EVERY
DANCE! I'LL BE STUCK
WITH GRUNDY!

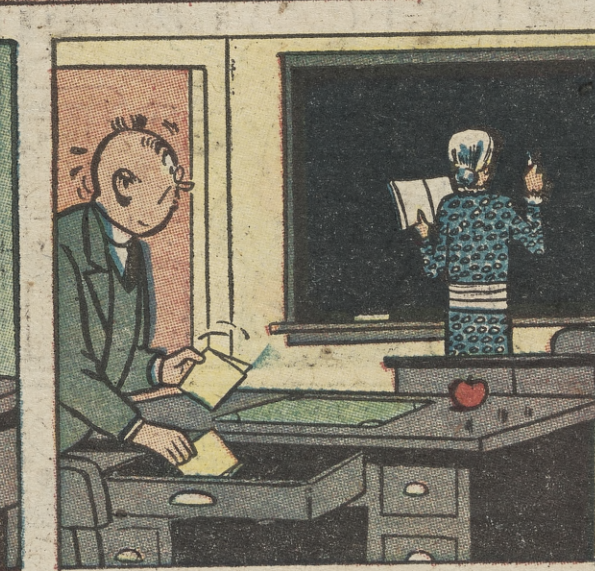
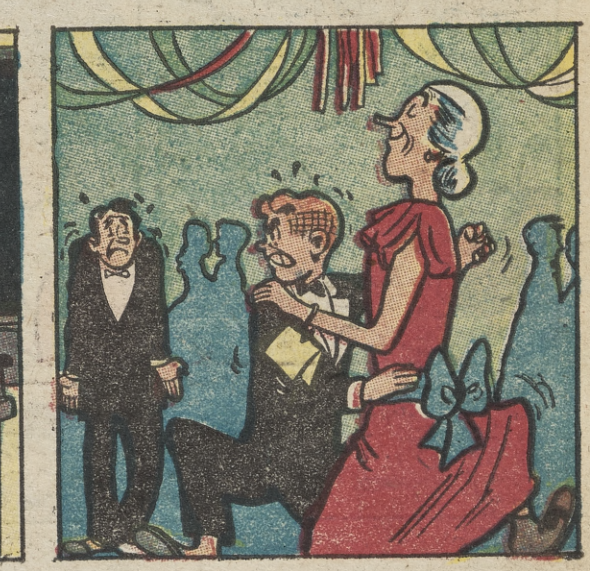


I NEED ANOTHER
CARD! THE CHAPERONE
...ER...AH...LOST
HERS!

OH...WELL,
I'LL GET
YOU ONE!



FIRST I'LL PUT MY NAME
DOWN FOR EVERY DANCE
WITH MISS SHAPELY!

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